Memo to File:

RE: Wasatch Tar Sands Sec. 32, T. 14 S., R. 23 E., SLB&M Uintah County, Utah

Shannon Storrud and Pamela Grubaugh-Littig visited Wasatch Tar Sands on May 22, 1984. The purpose of the visit was to observe the disturbance which had been reported to the Division of State Lands & Forestry. There are roads and two cleared areas that have been disturbed in this area that is located about six miles south of Geokinetics. The two-acre exemption is questionable and should be surveyed by a certified surveyor.

There is equipment located on site that includes:

- 1. Drilling and blasting unit (portable).
- 2. Processing equipment (used cement mixer).
- 3. Two-8,000 gallon tanks.
- 4. Tarp over ANFO bags (explosives).

The upper clearing has a seven foot deep pit (40 feet long X 10 feet wide). The lower pad has been cleared and contains no equipment.

The entire area was cleared rather sloppily. There are trees on the perimeter of the cleared areas and roads.

There is no topsoil stockpiled on-site.

The letter to Fairbanks Hydraulics (Mr. John Fairbanks) sent by John Blake (Division of State Lands & Forestry dated May 11, 1984) required a Declaration of Exemption (DOE) from this office. A DOE was received by the Division on August 26, 1983 from Mr. William Fronce for Section 32, Township 14 South, Range 23 East, the same location (attached). There is some confusion that needs to be clarified.

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